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Title: AN ADVANTAGEOUS CARRIER  
SOLUTION FOR VITRIFIABLE  
CONCENTRATIONS OF  
CRYOPROTECTANTS, AND  
COMPATIBLE CRYOPROTECTANT  
MIXTURES

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

**Introductory Comments**

In response to the Office Action mailed June 16, 2003, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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